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Canadian, who represented York, and was considered a prominent candidate for high office. Another Canadian, Joseph Martin, former Premier of British Columbia, was more successful, winning the seat for St. Pancras East.

The general view of today's market bears out the forecast. The North is solid for the government; the middle section, and especially Birmingham, favors tariff reform.

**The victory of the Unionists at Westminster.**

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In the Heart of the Shopping District.

**Stylish Tailored Suits**  
Regular Prices up to \$25 **\$11.95**

Choose from our entire collection of stylish tailor-made suits for women and misses that retail regularly up to \$25.00 for \$11.95 each. Plain and striped serges, broadcloths, panamas and light and dark colored fancy suitings, every popular color is represented, the coats are silk or satin lined and vary in length from 34 to 50 inches. The skirts are new in every particular, all sizes.

**Choice of Our Best Suits**  
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Choose from entire stock of high-class tailor made suits for women that sell regularly up to \$55.00 for \$23.75. Fine broadcloths, in rose, gray, cedar green, navy and all the lighter shades, imported worsteds, serges, homespun and tweed suitings in every popular color. Many of the famous Printz suits in this collection; coats lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin, skirts new in every detail; all sizes, none reserved; any tailor made suit in our stock priced regularly up to \$55, today \$23.75.

**Rich Silk Petticoats**  
Plain and Fancy. **\$4.95**  
Values \$10.00 to \$20.00

A lot of just 250 rich silk petticoats, some of best grade taffeta, others of fine soft mesaline; many of them beautifully embroidered, plain colors, changeable effects. Dresden patterns and fancy stripes. Not a petticoat in the collection worth less than \$10.00, and many of them worth \$20.00. This is the biggest petticoat bargain of the year. On special sale today while the quantity lasts, \$4.95 each.

**Misses' \$6.50 Coats \$4.45**

Misses' coats of heavy fancy striped wool cloth, trimmed with braid and fancy buttons, best of colors, ages 8 to 16 years. Regular \$6.50 values. On sale today at \$4.45.

**Children's Plush Coats**  
Regularly \$6.50 and \$8.50 **\$4.95**

Children's fancy plush or velvet coats, double breasted style, some plain, others braid trimmed, lined with satin, best of colors, ages 4 to 8 years. Regular prices \$6.50 and \$8.50. On sale today at \$4.95.

**Misses' \$2.50 to \$3.50 Dresses \$1.95**

Misses' dresses of plain cashmere or fancy checked novelty cloth. Russian blouse style, with plaited skirt, lined throughout; some braid trimmed, with fancy buttons. Regular \$2.50 to \$3.50 values. On sale today at \$1.95.

**Misses' \$3.00 Bath Robes \$1.95**

Misses' blanket bath robes, made with pointed collar, with cord stridle, good patterns and the best of colors, ages 6 to 14 years. Regular \$3.00 values. On sale today at \$1.95.

**Girls' \$2.50 Sweaters \$1.95**

Good wool sweaters for girls from 8 to 14 years of age; fancy weave, in red or white. Regular \$2.50 values. On sale today at \$1.95.

**Pure Linen Tailored Waists**  
Excellent Styles, Worth \$2.00 **95c**

Women's tailor made waists of pure Irish linen, with wide plait in front, laundered collars; fresh, clean goods. Worth \$2.00. On special sale today at 95c each.

**Neat \$1.50 Colored Waists \$1.00**

Tailor made waists of fine quality percale, in the very best of colors; neat patterns, attractive, serviceable waist for ordinary wear. \$1.50 values. On special sale today at \$1.00 each.



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**POLITICS IN HERMANN CASE.**  
**Testimony Is Given to Show Influence Used.**  
**Says Defendant Wished to Gratify Ambition.**  
**Former Assemblyman Tells Story of Mitchell.**  
(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)  
PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 17.—The letting down of the bars by Judge Wolverson in the Federal District Court here so as to permit the prosecution more leisurely in its attempt to connect the defendant with the alleged conspiracy and the introduction of testimony apparently intended to show that influence of a political nature was brought to bear on Hermann by the late United States Senator John H. Mitchell, to secure the establishment of the Blue Mountain forest reserve, was the important event today in the trial of Blinger Hermann on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the government of public lands.  
The widening of the scope of the testimony and the introduction of political evidence were done over, the vigorous objection of counsel for the defense, who was inclined to ridicule the contention of the prosecution that Hermann's sole reward for alleged violations of law was personal gratification of political ambition.  
Three witnesses were examined today. George H. Cattanaugh, Assemblyman in 1901, testified as to the part alleged to have been played in the election of Mitchell to the United States Senate in 1901 by Franklin P. Mays, previously convicted under the indictment on which Hermann is being tried, and H. A. Smith, deceased, Harry C. Robertson, formerly Mitchell's secretary, testified as to arrangements made by Mays and Mitchell for a conference in Washington, D. C., in April, 1902, with Hermann, then Commissioner of the General Land Office, and C. A. Johns, corroborated evidence previously introduced that the people of Eastern Oregon, as a rule, objected to the establishment of the reserve.  
**SNOWS EVEN IN DEATH VALLEY.**  
**Unprecedented Cold Snap Extends to Supposed Hottest Spot on Earth.**  
Two Inches Fall.  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
RENO (Nev.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Death Valley, which is supposed to be one of the hottest places on the footstool, in this tempestuous winter had snow the same as the rest of the world. This information was received here today through Matt Graham, a brother of "Curly" Graham, who has just arrived from there. Graham says the snow at Death Valley is two inches deep, and that the weather is almost as cold as it is here.  
The point from whence he came is 200 miles south of Tonopah and by reason of its being so low in altitude it has never before been known to even have a "suspicion" of the beautiful. The cold has extended hundreds of miles beyond Death Valley, and has fallen even in that protected inland place, but a party of prospectors coming in from a winter trip across the valley reported having failed to find any signs of snow, although in all the region about it lay from a foot to five feet deep.  
**WOMAN STOPS ROBBER.**  
**SAVES HUSBAND'S CLOTHES.**  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
SEATTLE, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] To seize a husky burglar who had just stolen and donned a suit of her husband's clothes, lock him in a room and force him to do again his purloined habilliments, was the stunt that Mrs. H. Hunter, young and pretty, performed.  
The robber came to Mrs. Hunter's home, No. 214 Thirtieth avenue, on the pretense of selling a patent mop. After he had gone Mrs. Hunter heard a noise at her bedroom window and saw the mop man getting out arrayed in her husband's clothes. By her husband's coat collar she seized the robber, rushed him into another room and locked the door.  
"Now take off those clothes," she demanded and the robber did so.  
Mrs. Hunter let him go, but he was later arrested and she identified him.  
**SMOKES LOADED CIGAR.**  
**NEARLY LOSES EYESIGHT.**  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
TACOMA, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Joseph Pierce of Battle, R. Second Field Artillery, at Vancouver, Wash., will probably be careful the next time he picks up another man's cigar. Yesterday he was not so careful, and as a result he nearly lost his eyesight from the explosion of a loaded cigar, which he picked up in a comrade's room. He selected a particularly fat-looking Havana, and, with a great deal of pleasure, lighted it. It had burned but a short time when it burst with a loud report. Particles of the powder with which it was filled entered Pierce's eye. He was taken to the hospital, where it is hoped that his sight may be saved.  
**SELLS STANDING TIMBER.**  
**PRIVATE COMPANY IS BUYER.**  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
DUNSMUIR, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Bureau of Forest Service of the Department of Agriculture has approved the sale of 140,000 feet of standing timber in the Shasta National Forest Reserve. The sale was made for \$11,000 to the Castle Lake Lumber Company of Castella, and consists of a quantity of yellow pine at \$1 per 1000 feet, sugar pine at \$1 per 1000 feet, and Douglas fir at \$1.50 per 1000 feet. The object is to remove dead, dying and matured timber in the reserve leaving sufficient standing timber to reproduce the supply of this particular kind of wood desired.  
**FIRE MENACES EIGHT.**  
**AGED MAN NEARLY SUFFOCATES**  
(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Eight persons had narrow escapes from death early today at a fire which de-







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### WOMAN SHOT AT HER DOOR.

Slayer Calls Out Beauty at Mid-  
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Five.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
PAGOSA SPRINGS (Colo.),  
Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.]  
Aroused from sleep at midnight,  
Mrs. Fortunata Campbell,  
member of a family long fa-  
mous in this section, was called  
to the door of her home and  
shot dead. The murder makes  
orphans of five children, the  
eldest of whom is 12. The  
woman was divorced more than  
a year ago from Anthony Val-  
dez, a merchant, resuming her  
maiden name. He is not sus-  
pected.  
A snowfall beginning im-  
mediately after the crime aided  
the escape of the murderer.  
There is no clue to his identity,  
although the rejection of a  
suitor recently may have had  
something to do with the crime.  
The woman was noted for her  
beauty.

### HONEST JOHN BURNS.

(Continued From First Page.)

all points to an extension of the  
influence of Joseph Chamberlain.  
The passenger train was ex-  
pected to make a clean turnover, in  
displaying a remarkably slight variation in  
representation. Although the Liberals  
are not returning the majorities of 1908.  
ALL BUT THREE ANNOUNCED.  
With the exception of three con-  
stituencies, results of all today's polling  
were announced tonight. Great  
crowds gathered in all the main streets  
of London, particularly Fleet street  
and the Strand, where the results were  
shown in front of newspaper offices.  
One of the newspapers, a Liberal or-  
gan, adopted the novel device of throw-  
ing a searchlight on Gladstone's statue in  
the Strand, when the returns showed  
that the Liberals were assured of vic-  
tory.

John Burns of Battersea, comes back  
to Parliament with flying colors. Al-  
though in the great landslide of 1906  
he won by 160 votes, his normal ma-  
jority is about 300, and in today's hard-  
fought battle he beat A. Shirley Benn,  
Unionist, by 525. The vote was: Burns,  
525; Benn, 785.  
Defeat has been predicted perenni-  
ally for Honest John in the last  
decade, and Mr. Burns's friends were  
frightened this year. Since the most  
picturesque fight Westminster has  
seen, and since he held position of in-  
creased responsibility, he has outgrown  
gradually his old radical ideas. The  
John Burns of today is a vastly dif-  
ferent politician from the old John  
Burns, who exhorted the workmen in  
Trafalgar Square to rise against the  
police. He has become one of the most  
conservative of Liberals, and is said  
to be at heart a good Tory.  
John Burns has no fear of a hard  
fight, but he holds a \$10,000 position and  
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Woman Clings to Ice for  
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(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

SPRINGFIELD (Mass.) Jan. 17.—  
[Exclusive Dispatch.] Joseph Marok,  
who, it is alleged, assaulted his bride  
of three days and threw her into a  
well in Fairfield, Ct., Saturday night  
and left her there for dead and his  
supposed companion in the assault,  
Barton Lasky, were arrested at the  
Union station in this city at 8:30 o'clock  
this morning when they came to the  
baggage-room and presented a check  
for the woman's trunk containing her  
bank books. The marriage certificate  
and a woman's pocketbook answering  
the description of the one taken from  
Mrs. Marok were found in Lasky's pos-  
session. A notice of the marriage in-  
tentions of Marok and Miss Anna Ma-  
kol of Chilopee was found on Marok.

The prisoners were hustled back to  
Connecticut this afternoon without  
tradition formalities. The Sheriff's  
intent to murder, highway robbery and  
theft.

It is said that Marok once before  
robbed the then Miss Marok, and  
on the eve of the date set for their  
wedding and disappeared. She forgave  
him when he recovered his advances  
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before her wedding she went to the  
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suaded to leave the money and take a  
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day by William E. Ferris of Fairfield  
and rescued from the well.

He kept her face above the water for  
thirteen hours by clinging to the frozen  
surface. Both of her feet were have to  
be amputated and she may die.

### ARREST ENDS LONG CHASE.

IS ABOUT TO LEAVE COUNTRY.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

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tories and that has caused officers in a  
hundred southwestern cities to be  
constantly on the lookout was brought  
to an end today when James Daly,  
wanted in Phoenix for a statutory  
rape, alleged to have been committed  
on Florence Bebee at Mesa a month  
ago, was arrested.

Daly recently left Mesa with the girl  
for El Paso. The Phoenix authorities  
notified officers in El Paso but the  
couple escaped into Mexico. Before  
extradition papers could be secured,  
Daly escaped, deserting the girl. Daly  
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Case of Inflammatory Rheuma-  
tism at Portland That Re-  
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ment.

Almost any pain or ache which cannot  
readily be accounted for is usually classi-  
fied as rheumatism. Some of these are  
transient and cure themselves.  
An acute attack of rheumatism is  
very difficult to cure so that it will stay  
and usually does, year after year.  
The only lasting cure is secured by  
driving the rheumatic poison from the  
system and building up the blood so that  
the disease is prevented from obtaining  
a new foothold.

The cure of Mrs. E. Olsen, of No. 979  
Union avenue, North, Portland, Ore., is  
a good example of the power of Dr.  
Williams' Pink Pills in cases of rheuma-  
tism.

She says: "I was suffering from  
inflammatory rheumatism which came  
on me all at once. At the time of the  
attack I was in a run-down condition.  
My limbs were so stiff and I had no abili-  
ty to do anything. I suffered from dull  
aching pains through my hands and  
feet which soon became swollen.

My doctor prescribed for me and  
sent me to bed. While there I felt bet-  
ter, but as soon as I got up I was as badly off  
as ever. In fact I became so much worse  
that I was unable to open my left hand.  
I had been confined to bed for two  
weeks and was greatly discouraged. By  
chance I happened to read about Dr.  
Williams' Pink Pills in a paper and  
decided to try them. I felt better after  
taking the first box of the pills and  
I continued to take them until I was  
entirely cured. I have never had a re-  
turn of the rheumatism."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are guaran-  
teed to be free from opiates or harmful  
drugs.

If you are interested in the remedy  
that cured Mrs. Olsen, write today for  
a copy of the new edition of our book on  
"Diseases of the Blood." It contains  
information that may save you money  
and suffering.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by  
all druggists, or will be sent, postpaid,  
on receipt of price, \$2.00 in six  
boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams'  
Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

### LIBERALS TRIUMPH.

(Continued From First Page.)

strength in the county divisions yet  
to be polled, the Liberals will return  
to power with a majority of 150 or more.  
The Tory gains today with the ex-  
ception of those in Portsmouth, and  
Devonport were confined to small bor-  
oughs in the South and Midlands. Jo-  
seph Chamberlain is reported to be  
satisfied for the Midland gains. The only  
seats won by the Tories in Lancashire  
were where the Liberal and Labor  
votes were split while the few polls  
announced from the north show greatly  
increased Liberal majorities.

### JINGLES FALL IN LONDON.

Winston Churchill, who has been an  
over the North of England and Scot-  
land, telephoned to London yesterday:  
"The North of England and Scotland  
are solid for the budget and against  
the Lords."

The most remarkable feature of the  
voting so far is London's refusal to  
be misled by Jingo scandal-mongers.  
The Tories counted on winning thir-  
teen seats in London today. They won  
only five. The Liberals won two from  
them.

After as hard a fight as any in the  
country, John Burns, president of the  
local government board, was sent back  
to Parliament from Battersea. He  
beat A. Shirley Benn, Unionist, by 525  
majority. The vote was: Burns, 525;  
Benn, 785. For four years Burns's op-  
ponent has been organizing to defeat  
him.

The Liberal tidal wave of 1906 swept  
in Burns with a large majority, but his  
normal majority has been between 200  
and 300. A few years ago Burns de-  
clared that no man could possibly earn  
more than \$200 a year, and do it hon-  
estly. And yet for some time now he  
has been drawing a salary of \$10,000 a  
year, and positively expects to get it  
boosted to \$25,000 a year if the Lib-  
erals are returned to power.

### UNPRECEDENTED VOTE.

The Socialists went after John in a  
way so savage that it delighted the  
stomachs of the strong labor men who  
do not like Burns. The Socialists yester-  
day were telling the workmen that  
Burns had said that the average  
workingman draws away six shillings  
a week on booze, and deserves to be  
the poor thing he is. Others charged  
Mr. Burns with having, in order to  
save a few pennies, lined himself up  
with the starving on the Thames em-  
bankment and taken the soup which  
should have gone to some poor and  
hungry outcast.

All accounts agree that the present  
election has called forth an unprece-  
dented amount of popular interest. It  
was thought that the limit of the pol-  
ling percentage had been reached in  
1906, but those records are now broken  
in many places. In some cases 94, even  
97 per cent., of the electorate have  
voted. Never before has such been  
the case. More than one hundred liv-  
ing-pictures shows are displayed in dif-  
ferent points in London, with crowds  
varying between five hundred and five  
thousand, booing and cheering as each  
picture appears.

### BLAMES LIFE-SAVERS.

PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 17.—[Ex-  
clusive Dispatch.] That inefficiency of  
the life-saving equipment at Coos Bay  
and the failure of the look-out tower  
out his danger warnings were re-  
sponsible for the loss of the steamer  
Carina, which cost twenty-four lives,  
in the charge of the Interior, at the ex-  
pense of the government, denied to-  
day having been given a cent per  
person connected with the govern-  
ment, except a salary received under Presi-  
dent Roosevelt.

Jack Ballinger is now at Coeur  
d'Alene, Idaho, representing the ac-  
tively in the fight over overhauled  
lands.

"It is absolutely false that my cousin  
or any one else ever favored me espe-  
cially in the government business,"  
stated Mr. Ballinger. "I was appointed  
by President Roosevelt as principal  
examiner of land claims and contents  
and was detailed as private secretary  
to the Secretary of the Interior at a  
salary of \$2000 a year.

The man who previously held the  
place died and I was appointed to fill  
the vacancy, so that I took no one's  
place. That is all there is to the af-  
fair."

### GRIMES-STASSFORTH STATIONERY CO.

Importers  
232-234 So. Spring St., Los Angeles

HUGHES HAS ENOUGH.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The New  
York Tribune today announced pos-  
itively that Gov. Hughes would not  
under any circumstances, be a candi-  
date for reelection, having determined  
to return to his law practice. Gov.  
Hughes declined to discuss the report.

### ANOTHER BODY RECOVERED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

MAIRFIELD (Or.) Jan. 17.—A sec-  
ond unidentified body from the wreck  
of the Carina came ashore today.

ARTHUR LETTS  
Broadway Department Store  
HOME 10571 BDWY. 4944 BROADWAY COR. 4TH. LOS ANGELES.

## Linens Head The List Of Big White Sale Attractions

The housewives of Los Angeles will "sit up and take notice" at the prices which the White Sale is offering on the most dependable and desirable linens. Hotel and restaurant keepers will also find it wise to make quantity purchases while prices are almost at wholesale value.



- 15-15 Table Damask \$1.35  
Yard—2 yards wide; all linen  
double damask; several pretty  
patterns for choice.
- 25-25 Napkins to Match \$1.45  
Doth—25-inch size.
- 30-30 All Linen Damask at  
\$6 Yd.—48 in. wide; extra  
fine weaver, crane, oak, leaf  
and fern designs.
- Seamless to match \$2.50 Doz.—  
25-inch size.
- Handkerchiefs \$1 Damask—Extra  
weight; all linen; fine satin  
finish; spot,illy, shamrock  
and wild rose patterns; the  
city's best damask at \$1  
Napkins to match \$2.50 Doz.  
25-inch size.
- 15-15 Table Damask 15 Yd.—  
Yard—2 yards wide; all linen;  
quality: 12 inches wide; pop-  
py, four-deal and other  
choice patterns.
- 15-15 Table Damask 15 Yd.—Full  
bleached, 48 inches wide; all  
linen; various patterns.
- 15-15 Table Damask 15 Yd.—  
Medium weight; floral pat-  
terns; 48 inches wide.
- 15-15 Table Damask 15 Yd.—  
Medium weight white cotton  
damask; suitable for break-  
fast cloth or restaurant use.  
15-15 Table Damask 15 Yd.—  
Same as above mentioned  
style.
- Cotton Table Damask 25c  
Yd.—48 in. wide; full blea-  
an assortment of patterns.
- \$2.50 All Linen Napkins \$1.35  
Doz.—Yard—2 yards wide; all  
linen; various patterns.
- \$1.35 Damask Napkins \$1.35  
Doz.—Highly mercerized, large  
fine select patterns; 21x27 in.
- Handkerchiefs 25c Doz.—  
Ready for use; heavy weight;  
fine patterns; best for restau-  
rants.
- Handkerchiefs 15c Doz.—14-in.  
width; genuine hand woven  
cloth; fine color; suitable  
for table runners, scarfs, tow-  
els.
- Cotton Damask Napkins  
15c Doz.—15-inch size; good  
linen of the good things to eat.
- Checked Glass Towels  
15c Doz.—15-inch size; all  
linen; blue or red; large and  
small checks.
- Cotton Damask 15c Doz.—  
Yard—14 inches in width;  
medium weight; fine pattern;  
red borders.
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To further demonstrate the importance of our Grocery Department as a dis-  
tributing center for Pure Foods, we have arranged this exhibit and demon-  
stration of the good things to eat. In addition to the Pure Food Show, we have prepared some exceptionally  
attractive and delicious foodstuffs on hand, which will further  
show the prestige of this Grocery Department, and the saving possi-  
bilities that prevail.

This Grocery Department has thrived until it is one of the largest de-  
partments in the house. Not only do we sell Pure Foods at popular prices, but  
we also carry a large stock of pure foods on a par with the most exclusive houses.  
Selling the great quantities that we do enables us to turn stocks quickly,  
consequently eliminating undesirable goods.

### Free Demonstration and Samples of Appetizing Dishes Prepared by Experienced Demonstrators

- Including such well known and dependable lines as:  
Ortega, Red and Green Chilies  
Lipton's Tea and Coffee  
Bulgar Sardines  
Lipton's Jolly Tablets  
Lipton's Pancake and Bacon-Sugar Cured, Sugar Cured, Sugar Cured.
- Tea's Tea  
Golden Grain Breakfast Food  
Kaffee-Nut Substitute for Coffee  
Van Camp's Soup and Milk  
Jello and Jello-ice Cream Powders  
Nestle's Brand Co's Cakes and Crackers  
Lib. and S.O. Clock Tea—  
Quality, 4-Lb. Can 25c  
Lipton's Tea—Sunflower  
Brand, Pound Can 70c  
3 Packages Jello—Assorted  
Flavors 25c  
3 Cans Salmon—Red or  
Pink for 25c  
Cans Oyster—Queen, 5  
Cans for 40c  
2 Cans Baking  
Wax for 25c  
Quaker Corn Flakes—  
5 Packages for 40c
- Toilet Paper—1 100  
Rolls 25c  
2 Lbs. Coffee—Broadway  
Extra, for 80c  
Pound Tea—80c Qual-  
ity 55c  
9/2 Lbs. Sugar 50c  
Order 50c  
Peanut Butter 50c  
Dougherty Peanut But-  
ter—Jar for 25c and 15c
- Lipton's Tea—No. 1  
Quality, 4-Lb. Can 25c  
Lipton's Tea—Sunflower  
Brand, Pound Can 70c  
3 Packages Jello—Assorted  
Flavors 25c  
3 Cans Salmon—Red or  
Pink for 25c  
Cans Oyster—Queen, 5  
Cans for 40c  
2 Cans Baking  
Wax for 25c  
Quaker Corn Flakes—  
5 Packages for 40c

## It's Free This Week Thorough Examination of All Who Apply Drs. Shores & Shores True Friends of the Sick

DON'T keep putting off seeing a doctor—for sickness gets speedily worse  
even under such skilled treatment as given at the famous  
doctors SHORES & SHORES. If you really don't know what your trouble  
is find out this week without having to spend a penny; for Drs. Shores  
extend their offer of a FREE EXAMINATION another week. And  
remember if you begin treatment now, and live out of town, that the treat-  
ment can be successfully continued in your own home, as knowing your  
case, we can send you the necessary medicines by mail. Our fees  
are uniformly low, but our treatment is the best you can get at any price—and  
our certainty in being able to cure you is warranted by our many years of  
successful practice in treating all diseases of whatever name or nature.

### TESTIMONY OF CURES

There are hundreds of people whom we  
have permanently cured, who have volun-  
tarily written us signed testimonials con-  
firming our treatment. We have never  
taken a dollar that we didn't earn. We  
know that every dollar counts to sick  
people and make our charge as small  
as possible—if you pay less elsewhere  
you get less—if you pay more you waste  
money—for there is no better treatment  
than ours, regardless of cost. We publish  
a number of testimonials and would ask  
all skeptical persons to call on or write  
any of them. We want to do you good—  
and we want to do it now. For your own  
health's sake take advantage of our Free  
examination offer this week.

### WE CURE \$3 A MONTH

- Catarrh  
Deafness  
Asthma  
Bronchitis  
Hay Fever  
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Kidney and Bladder  
Trouble  
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and Blood  
Diseases  
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curable.
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445 1/2  
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HOURS: Daily, 9  
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7 to 10. Sundays,  
10 to 12.

### The Famous "KOH-I-NOOR"

Most economical pencil for every  
purpose.  
"KOH-I-NOOR" leads are tough and  
evenly tempered. They contain no  
grit, have no soft spots.  
"KOH-I-NOOR" pencils are high-  
priced because high-grade, but you  
will save money by their use be-  
cause one "KOH-I-NOOR" will out-  
wear six ordinary pencils. You can  
prove this by buying one at 10  
cents or one dozen at \$1.00.  
Get the genuine.  
Made in Austria.  
Sold and used everywhere.

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### The Attraction of the Pig and Whistle, Its exclusiveness as a Place to informally entertain and the exquisite quality of its menus.

Pig & Whistle Co.  
224 So. Broadway  
Makers of the Finest Chocolates in the  
World.

STERLING SILVER  
Salt Sots \$10.50  
Case of six sterling sil-  
ver salt sots with sterling  
silver salt spoons. Very  
new and decidedly  
unique. \$10.50.  
J. Abramson  
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The Best Clothes. The Finest Prices  
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TAILORS  
201-205 South Building  
426 South Spring Street



SPORTING NEWS, LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC.

JEFF DECLARES AGAINST UTAH.

Says Big Fight Will Be Held in California.

Gov. Spry Need Not Call Out His Soldiers.

Berger Backs Up Old Champ With Strong Talk.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INCOGNITO (Neb.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "There is not even as much as an outside chance that I will fight any place but in California," declared James J. Jeffries, who exhibited in Lincoln tonight before a crowded throng.

"Just tell Gov. Spry," Jeff continued, "that he is doing me a favor when he says Johnson and I can't pull off our mill in Salt Lake or in Utah. He won't need to get any militia after me in July, for I won't be there. California is my home State, that's the place where I'm going to fight Johnson, and Gov. Spry can rest easy and keep his soldiers at home. The fight is going to draw a lot of people from all over the country, and take it from me that California is going to get the benefit."

"I don't care whether or not Tex Rickard has said the things he is credited in the newspapers with saying about fighting in Salt Lake. Just put it down for keeps that Jeffries is going to fight Johnson in California, and I am going to lick him quick."

Sam Berger talked in the same strain. "It would be absurd," said Berger, "to think of booking this fight, the biggest in ring history, for Utah when the Governor has forbidden it."

Englishmen Leave. NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Pat Moore of Philadelphia had little difficulty in turning a decision over Harry Thomas, the English bantamweight champion, tonight at the Olympic Athletic Club. With the exception of the first round, the American had the better of every round.

Squires Battle Again. SYDNEY (N. S. W.) Jan. 17.—"Bill" Lang today retained his title of heavy-weight champion of the world by defeating "Bill" Squires in the seventh round.

ALL ONE-SIDED. OXY PLAYERS DEFEAT U.S.C. YOUNG LAWYERS NEVER HAVE CHANCE TO WIN.

Lockwood and Douglas Have Little Trouble in Running Away from Both Smith and Hanley. Double Event Could Not Be Played Owing to Approaching Darkness.

The Occidental men's tennis team defeated the recent winners from the U.S.C. Law School yesterday afternoon on the Occidental courts, winning all events in a round-robin tournament.

The lawyers never had a chance to take an event, although Smith put up some very pretty tennis in his match with Douglas and was only defeated after compelling the Tiger player to bring out his best strokes.

Hanley was outclassed in both his matches, losing to Lockwood, 6-0, 6-1, and to Douglas in the first set by 6-1, and the second set by default. The lawyer worked hard, but it was no use, but it was very winning for his lucky opponents.

The match between Douglas and Lockwood was a very close one, but Douglas won by a margin of 6-4, 6-3.

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Swift Flight By Curtiss Lowers His Own Record—Tiny Leak  
Baffles Paulhan in Try For Endurance Test.  
Great Crowd Thrilled.



Counting Thirty Thousand Dollars of Aviation Meet Receipts.  
Scene in the Park Bank last night, when the money taken in yesterday was checked up by Perry W. Weidner,  
aviation treasurer, seated, and Walter C. Durgan, vice-president of the bank.

THE second week of aviation in  
Los Angeles opened with a day  
so perfect that another degree  
would have carried it beyond the  
superlative, a crowd so large and en-  
thusiastic that it seemed impossible  
to anticipate an end of the great  
event, and a series of performances as  
thrilling as the keenest imagination  
could have promised.

Curtiss lowered his own ten-lap re-  
cord for the course by over a minute,  
under weather conditions which he  
declared ideal.

A leak in the big gasoline tank on  
the Farman biplane was all that pre-  
vented Paulhan from breaking the  
world's endurance record. As it was  
he remained in the air two hours,  
lacking less than two minutes.

The Gill-Doan machine succeeded in  
leaving the ground. This makes the  
fourth type of airplane that has  
flown at the meet, the others being  
the Farman and Curtiss biplanes and  
the Blériot monoplane.

The Knabenshue and Beachey dir-  
tigrables raced one lap around the  
course, Knabenshue winning by 11.5  
seconds.

GREAT AERIAL REGATTA.  
The conclusion of the day brought

brace wires in bumping over the rough  
field. At the same time, Curtiss and  
Hamilton stretched their wings in a  
final flight before going to roost for  
the night. Flying machines were so  
common for the moment that it  
seemed a hardship to the spectators to  
walk the mile from the grand stand  
to the gates.

There was a hum of excitement  
about the Paulhan tent when he first  
got away, his big eight-hour petrol  
tank full to the brim and his engine  
running smoothly. There was uncer-  
tainty as to whether he intended to  
stay up for five or six hours, or to  
dash off across the field toward  
Whittier on the cross-country course  
that has been mapped out. H. D.  
Krus stood in readiness with a fast  
automobile to go in pursuit should  
Paulhan leave the field.

REGULARLY AS CLOCKWORK.  
After a few turns around the course  
it became evident that the Frenchman  
was after the endurance record. He  
flew as regular as clockwork, his  
laps showing very little difference in  
time. Round after round he whirled  
by the crowded grand stand, encour-  
aged by the applause. It was a great  
disappointment to him and his friends  
when, after an hour and fifty-eight  
minutes in the air, he dropped to



Announcer R. D. Horton.

an inspiring aerial regatta. Willard  
started from the grand stand and  
went over to the Paulhan tent to  
make a call. He made a stop so  
close to the spot where the French-  
man was standing that he could al-  
most shake hands without leaving his  
seat. Paulhan had just sent Masson,  
his assistant, out to try the Farman  
machine. Masson made a fine flight  
—one of the first in which he has at-  
tempted to leave the ground for a  
long distance. He received an ovation  
from the French camp when he re-  
turned.

Paulhan, after welcoming his caller,  
asked permission to make a short  
flight in a Curtiss machine. Willard,  
President Cortlandt Bishop and two  
innocent bystanders started his engine  
and gave him the necessary headway.  
He skimmed off over the ground, not  
attempting a high flight, and returned  
on foot, having snapped two of the

## FIGURES. GREAT STACKS OF MAKES-GO.

OVER HUNDRED THOUSAND CASH  
ALREADY TAKEN IN.

Treasurer Counts the Money, and  
Makes a Remarkable Showing.  
Thirty Thousand Received Yester-  
day at Aviation Field—Troubles  
and Joys of the Handlers of Tickets.

Last night Treasurer Perry W. Weid-  
ner of the Aviation Executive Com-  
mittee checked up the total figures for  
admittance tickets and gate and grand  
stand receipts at Aviation Field dur-  
ing the last eight days of the meet,  
and stated that the cash receipts  
amounted to \$16,444, and the total at-  
tendance was 137,135.

Sunday was the banner day for at-  
tendance in the grand stand and  
boxes, when 11,341 persons paid admis-  
sion to view the races from the ele-  
vated seats of the stands and loges.  
The drizzling rain drove the spectators  
into the bleachers.

Through systematic work in selling  
the tickets and counting the money  
taken in each day the Executive Com-  
mittee knows each night just what the  
total attendance of the entire meet  
has been, and is able to estimate the  
provisional receipts of the entire  
meet. The crowd has been handled  
with the greatest convenience to the  
visitors.

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the tickets and is directing the work  
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one paste card passers are stationed in  
squares in the Pacific Electric car  
station, Arcade depot and Spring-street  
office of the Southern Pacific. Morning  
squares is in charge of the downtown  
corps of sellers, while Behrmer per-  
sonally directs the dispensing of tickets  
at the field.

The money received each day at  
Aviation Field is taken back to the  
Park Bank by Treasurer Weidner in  
an automobile. Seven clerks are kept  
busy each night until a late hour  
counting the coin and tickets, and  
checking up the accounts. The tickets  
sold are checked against the cash re-  
ceipts in a last check, in the daily set-  
tlement the number of tickets unsold  
are deducted from the number of tickets  
issued to prove the cash received.

The Auditing Committee, consisting  
of John Luckenbach and John S.  
Mitchell are to make a statement of  
the receipts of the meet, and the  
amount of the receipts is to be  
deposited in the bank. The tickets  
upon vouchers signed by President  
Hamilton, Secretary Zeeland and  
Treasurer Weidner are to be re-  
turned to the bank. Treasurer Weidner  
deserves great credit for his systemat-  
ic and thoroughly capable handling of  
the funds and finances.

When it is considered that the work  
of organizing the sale of tickets was  
all planned and executed in twenty-  
four hours the efforts of Behrmer and  
his corps of assistants is a record  
breaker. The total number of tickets  
issued was 416,000. Each ticket had  
to be enumerated, dated and counted,  
and each day's issue of tickets was  
charged to the individual ticket sell-  
ers.

The amount refunded to purchasers  
of tickets during the eight days of the  
meet was \$18. This is considered small  
indeed, when the chances for mistakes  
in the great crush for tickets and  
the forgetfulness and mistakes of the  
visiting spectators is considered. The  
problem of handling the sale of tickets  
is to the enormous crowds is doubled  
because the field of the contest is so  
extensive and the route to the field is  
entirely new to the spectators.

Probably every visitor to the avia-  
tion meet knows exactly what to do  
to get admission to a circus tent or to  
a side show or theater on a crowded  
night, but the process of gaining admis-  
sion to a strange field fourteen miles  
distant to every visitor. Yet in all  
the confusion and the rush of the  
crush and jam Behrmer has re-  
ceived reports of scarcely half a dozen  
complaints from ticket purchasers on  
any day of the meet.

## POSTMASTER TO RESIGN.

Will Devote His Time to Banking.  
Assistant Harrison Likely Flint's  
Successor.

Postmaster Flint is about to resign  
his position, owing to his desire to de-  
vote all of his time to the banking  
business. He has been contemplat-  
ing this move for some time. It will  
be several weeks before Mr. Flint's  
resignation is acted upon in Wash-  
ington and a successor is appointed. This  
will be done by the President upon the  
recommendation of Postmaster-Gen-  
eral Hitchcock. It is generally believed  
here that W. H. Harrison, present as  
assistant postmaster, will be chosen. He  
is thoroughly conversant with the du-  
ties of the office, being in full charge  
when his superior is absent from the  
city.

The position pays \$6000 a year and  
is regarded as one of the most impor-  
tant offices west of Chicago. The in-  
cumbent is required to file a bond of  
\$400,000 to insure faithful performance  
of his duties. The Los Angeles office  
does a business of about \$1,200,000 a  
year in stamps. Its money-order de-  
partment is equal to the business of  
many banks. There are several hun-  
dred clerks and carriers under the di-  
rect supervision of the postmaster.

Mr. Flint, who is vice-president of  
the Los Angeles Trust and Savings  
Bank, has never been able to give his  
full attention to his office owing to his  
duties as postmaster.

## REAL WILD WEST.

### PISTOLS BARK; BULLETS FLY.

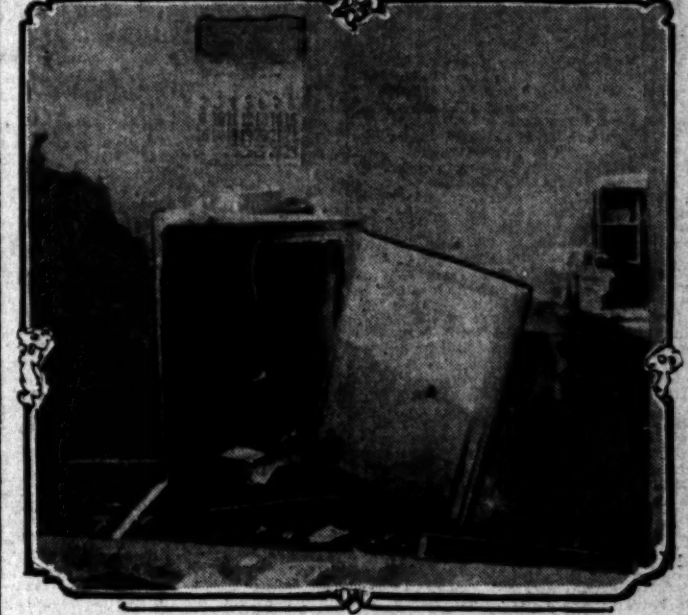
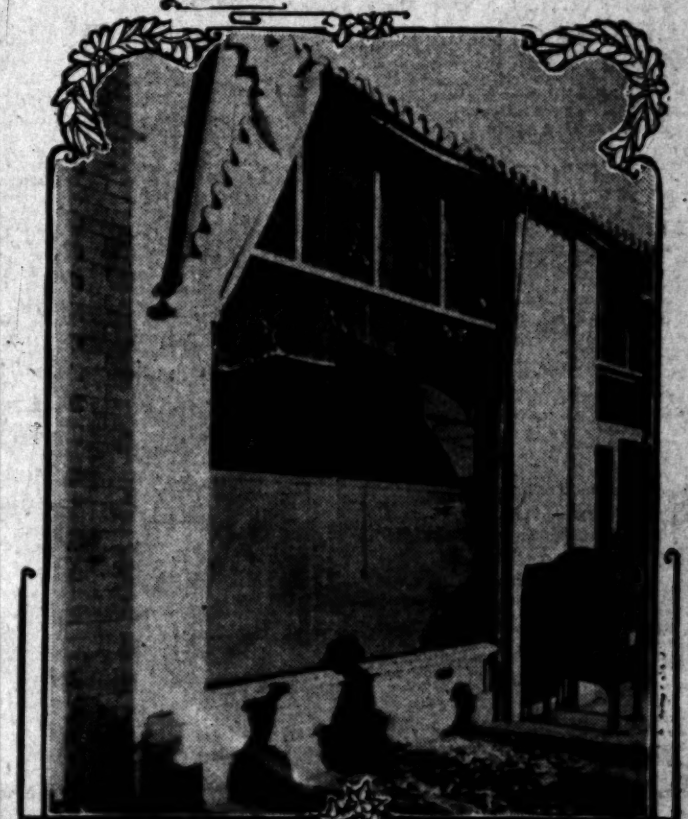
Alhambra Citizens Aroused  
by Robbers.

Attempt to Loot Postoffice  
Is Frustrated.

Explosion Starts Action, But  
Intruders Escape.

Surprised at their work while dyna-  
miting the safe in the postoffice, three  
burglars were chased for more than a  
mile, early yesterday morning by  
armed citizens of Alhambra.

The pistol duel during the chase kept  
the timid ones within doors and for  
a time it seemed as though a pitched  
battle was in progress. The darkness



The Cracked Postoffice Safe at Alhambra,  
from which the robbers got a hundred dollars' worth of stamps yesterday  
morning, and the front window, shattered by the explosion.

## ELUSIVE.

### "DAYLIGHT" GETS PLUNDER.

ROBS FINE HOME; DETECTIVES  
SEARCH IN VAIN.

Police Department Has Excellent  
Description of Suspect—Warning  
Issued to Residents—Residence En-  
tered Yesterday and Silverware  
Stolen.

The much-sought "daylight burglar,"  
who is suspected of fifteen house-  
breaking performances within the last  
two months, entered the residence of  
H. J. Woolcott, No. 1113 South Alvi-  
rado street, yesterday afternoon, and  
stole \$120 worth of solid silverware.

At the time he was in the Wool-  
cott residence, the police department  
was publishing his description in the  
Daily Bulletin, six detectives were  
trying to locate him, and private  
watchmen had been notified. In spite  
of these precautions, the nifty bur-  
glar worked peacefully and enjoyed  
himself in the Woolcott home while  
the family was attending the aviation  
meet.

The crook is supposed to have ef-  
fected an entrance to the house be-  
tween 3 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon,  
while there were many persons on the  
streets.

A two-inch jimmy was used to pry  
open a back window on the first floor,  
and it was inserted with such skill  
that the window lock was torn from its  
place without damage to the  
frame. In nearly every one of his  
house-breaking jobs the burglar has  
used either a three-quarter or a two-  
inch jimmy in effecting his entrances.  
The police department is in posses-

spoiled the aim of both pursuer and  
pursued and the robbers escaped.

More than \$100 in stamps were tak-  
en, but before the compartment of  
the safe containing the money had  
been reached the citizens, aroused by  
the explosion, were swarming about  
the postoffice like angered bees, many  
of them armed.

Frank Litchner, an employe of the  
Jordan bakery, diagonally across from  
the postoffice, opened the battle with  
three shots at the dark figures oppo-  
site. There was silence for a moment  
and then one of these shadows leaped  
through the broken window of the  
building and sent a shot crashing back  
in return.

By that time windows were going up  
and heads were being thrust out. Re-  
gardless of friends or foes the citizens  
took chances by firing in the general  
direction of the disturbance, while  
Marshal Ben Parker, hugging the dark  
wall from the City Hall toward the  
scene of activities, sprinted through  
the leaden hall in an attempt to run  
in on the marauders.

ROUTES IN STREET.

Routes from the postoffice the rob-  
bers took to the open street, firing  
back at the Marshal who, far in ad-  
vance of a posse of armed citizens,  
held his fire and attempted to run  
in at close range with the unwelcome vi-  
sitors.

Not since the early days of the West  
has there been as spectacular a rob-  
bery as that which aroused Alhambra  
in the early hours yesterday.

The postoffice occupies a store at  
Gusfield and Main streets, a short dis-  
tance from the City Hall and in the  
very heart of the little city.  
Mrs. Esther Murphy, postmistress,  
locked up the place late Sunday night  
and went to her home about a mile  
away.  
The work was probably by amateurs  
but was carefully planned and it is  
believed by men familiar with the ac-  
tions of Alhambra officials.  
They first went to a little tool shed







# THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

(Continued From Second Page.)

Sixteenth and New Hampshire streets, as the result of a collision with a car of the defendant company.

**SUIT FOR DAMAGES.** The explosion of 100 pounds of gun cotton at the establishment of the Western Wholesale Drug company is the basis of an action brought by Aetha Farmer in the Superior Court yesterday. The plaintiff alleges that she was engaged in the work of placing labels on bottles at No. 227 South Los Angeles street when the gun cotton let go, and she was seriously injured.

**CASE DISMISSED.** The charge against Florence J. Tebbets of Pasadena, who was in Judge Wilbur's court some time ago, and was afterwards sent to a sanatorium, was dismissed yesterday. The husband of Mrs. Tebbets is here from Boston, and arranged to care for his wife and their three children, who have been in the care of friends for some time.

**ALLEGED FALSE REPRESENTATIONS.** T. B. Davis brought suit against Charles E. Woods and H. Z. Adams in connection with the trade of a lot of stock and farming implements for three and one-half shares of the Pomona Department Store. Davis now asserts that the value of the stock was misrepresented to him by the defendants.

**TEACHER DIVORCED.** W. Leslie Mason, who, for some time, has been engaged in teaching at the Y.M.C.A. building, was divorced from Emeline Mason by Judge House yesterday. The Masons were married in New York City in 1884, and they have two sons, of whom one with the mother in Gotham. When asked why Mrs. Mason left him, the husband said it was on account of difference of opinion that had arisen in regard to a matter of which he did not care to speak, and the court did not insist upon knowing it. It was shown that the couple had lived together for about fifteen years.

**CHARNOCK WILL.** Judge Rives yesterday ordered submitted on briefs the question as to the construction of the will of the late John J. Charnock, the Palma rancher.

**HUPP CASE SET.** In Judge House's court yesterday the divorce action brought by George S. Hupp, the attorney, against Elsie Hupp was set for February 2. This promise to be one of the most interesting, if not sensational, divorce actions tried in a long time in the local courts.

**FOR FALSE IMPRISONMENT.** Judge Davis yesterday awarded Elias R. de la Matry \$425 in his action against Robert A. Brown and L. M. Hamilton for \$2500 arising from false imprisonment. The plaintiff was arrested on the solicitation of Caroline Manning in a civil suit, and she gave bond of \$2500, with Brown and Hamilton as sureties, to meet any damages which de la Matry might suffer in case his arrest proved to be unwarranted and illegal. He was later released by the court on the finding that he had been arrested without cause.

**MASHER GETS STIFF FINE.**

Young Woman Says He Attempted to Sit in Her Lap at Moving Picture Show.

Charged with forcing his attentions upon Miss Marjorie Taylor in a Main-street moving picture showhouse, C. L. Dickson, who pleaded guilty as charged last Saturday, was fined \$50 by Justice Frederickson yesterday. The testimony of Miss Taylor showed her determination to keep "mashers" away at any cost. She stated that she took a seat in the picture show and had no trouble until Dickson came in and sat down by her. When the house was darkened, she said Dickson moved over close to her and attempted to sit on her lap. She drew a hatpin and threatened him with summary punishment unless he moved. He moved rapidly. To Justice Frederickson, Dickson stated that he had not purposely molested Miss Taylor, and declared he asked her pardon when she told him to get off her skirt. He said he had once been in trouble in Texas, but had tried to behave himself since.

**Beating Hotel Is Charge.** Robert Johnston, charged with defrauding a hotel-keeper, pleaded guilty before Justice Frederickson yesterday. The Hart Bros., proprietors of the Hotel Rosslyn, allege Johnston, who is a well-known mining man, defrauded them of a \$71 board bill. His bail was fixed at \$500, and his trial set for February 2 by jury. In default of bail he was sent back to his cell.

**Jewelry Embezzlement Alleged.** A complaint charging Joseph Rappkins with embezzling a gold watch, a \$20 charm and a quantity of cheap jewelry from Ned Licht, No. 229 West First street, was filed in Police Court yesterday by Deputy District Attorney Velich. Licht alleges he fitted the defendant up with a stock of jewelry.

**Professional Ball.** The Theatrical Turnouts Out to Be Successful Affair.

Theatrical Treasurer's ball, held at the Goldberg-Bosch on Friday night, has been a great success, both by the attendance, and by the proceeds. The treasurer, who yesterday completed the report of the ball, stated that the proceeds were in excess of \$1000.

**Like a Magic Touch.** The Electro-Silicon.

It is impossible to be well, simply impossible, if the bowels are constipated. Waste products, poisonous substances, must be removed from the body at least once each day, or there will be trouble. The dose of Ayer's Pills is small, only one pill at bedtime. All vegetable.

Ask your doctor about Ayer's Pills, gently laxative, all vegetable. He knows why they act directly on the liver.

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These troches are in the form of small, round, white pills, which are dissolved in the mouth, and the active ingredients are absorbed through the mucous membrane.

**FREE SAMPLE.**

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at a small stand on South Main street and that Rappkins promptly disappeared with the entire outfit.

**Sixty Days in Jail.** J. J. Callahan and Edmund Pasqual pleaded guilty yesterday to a charge of stealing a lot of carpenter's tools. They were sentenced by Justice Chambers to sixty days each in jail.

**Chain Gang for Him.** Found guilty of stealing clothing and blankets from a friend's room, S. J. Stares was sentenced to ninety days on the chain gang by Justice Chambers yesterday.

**EXCESS OF ASSETS.** James McIlhenny of Santa Monica filed a voluntary bankruptcy petition in the United States District Court yesterday. His stated liabilities are \$325, and assets, \$155.

**BOLD INTRUDER GETS MONEY.** Man Enters Apartment and Holds Up Couple at Point of Gun—Other Thefts.

James Ritchie, No. 344 South Grand avenue, yesterday reported to the police that he had been held up in his apartment by an unmasked man Saturday evening and robbed of \$140. Ritchie stated that he had not intended reporting the affair and did so only after careful consideration. That account for the long delay.

He said he was sitting in the apartment with his wife when the door suddenly opened. A tall man entered, calmly drew a revolver and presented it at Ritchie's head. He commanded them both to put up their hands and they did so. He then searched Ritchie and made a careful investigation of the room, securing about \$140 in currency. Making an elaborate bow he backed to the kitchen and disappeared through the rear door.

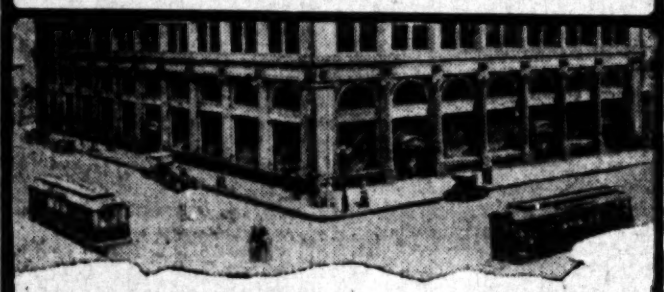
Other minor robberies were reported to the police yesterday. Burglars entered the home of D. L. Clamplitt at No. 725 Herende street Sunday afternoon during the absence of the family and took a box of cigars, a dozen souvenir spoons and two savings banks. A watch and \$10 disappeared from the room of G. E. Walker at No. 1213 North Main street in like manner. Miss Ottilie Whiting of No. 323 East Fifth street reported the loss of two gold bracelets, a brooch, several toilet articles and a jewel case. She was absent at the time.

**SMOKER—INSTALLATION.** La Fiesta Camp, Woodmen of the World, will give a smoker tonight at No. 517 South Broadway. The annual installation of officers will take place. P. C. C. Jacob Good in charge, and the uniform degree team assistant. There will also be an exhibition of physical culture, by four well-known disciples of the manly art.

A coining plant has been discovered in a cottage near Glau, Spain. Its owner, the Duke of Benevento, and Marquis Lombay, have been arrested. It is stated many prominent persons are compromised.



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1/2 OFF on all Children's Felt and Beaver Hats.

\$1.75 Tams in beaver, cloth and bearskin, 85c.

**Shirtwaist Bargains**

The new Spring Styles in the King & Lenox Waists in Linen and Madras now on display.

Lingerie Waists in broken lines, hand embroidered, lace trimmed, selling at immense reductions. \$8.00 to \$16.00 values now \$4.50 to \$8.00.



Semi-Annual  
Clearance Sale  
Still Continues

The chief thought of business this month is the quick disposal of all odds and ends and broken lines at reduced prices, to make room for the new Spring merchandise.

Two strong features of today's clearance will be: First—

Clearance of High Class  
One-Piece Dresses

Regular Prices To \$35 Regular Prices to \$50  
Sale Price \$17.50 Sale Price \$25.00

These garments represent the newest effects of the season, and maintain that high standard of excellence so characteristic of "Ville" ready-to-wear goods.

The dresses are made of broadcloth, henrietta, Prunella, Eolienne, Panama and moire; in a large range of fashionable colorings. Some of the dresses are beautifully embroidered and braided, or trimmed in lace or net of self color. Second:

The Clearance of  
Petticoats & Kimonos

WE OFFER  
75c OUTING FLANNEL PETTICOATS  
In white or colors, at each ..... 50c  
\$1.00 PETTICOATS, in white, effectively embroidered in colors or white, at each ..... 75c  
\$1.25 KNITTED PETTICOATS  
In red, blue or grey, at each ..... 75c  
FLANNELETTE KIMONOS, in long styles; made of figured flannelettes in pretty colorings. Values to \$1.50. Clearance Price ..... 95c  
Values to \$3.50 Clearance Price ..... \$1.95  
SHORT KIMONOS & SACSQUES, in colored figured flannelette. Values to \$1.25 Clearance Price ..... 75c



\$3.15

Of Patent Colt or Dull Calf—formerly \$4.00 a pair.

**January Clearance Sale**  
**Womens Boots**

An annual event—of importance to every economically inclined woman within reach of this store. For years it has been Gude's custom to close out all broken lines, short lots and odd sizes—before beginning a new season. The sale announced today is of more than usual importance—including about 1000 pairs of this season's high-grade boots.

**\$4.00 Boots at \$3.15 a Pair**

This assortment includes a number of broken lots from our \$4.00 lines—lustral calf and dull calf, in lace or button—all this season's goods. Cousins' boots at \$4.00 are unquestionably the best for the money on the market. At \$3.50 the value is positively unprecedented.

**\$5 to \$7.50 Boots at \$4.15**

Various styles in Cousins' \$5 to \$7.50 boots are priced at \$4.15—in order to effect a quick clearance of broken lines and short lots.

This assortment consists of many of the present season's high grade novelties; beautiful bronze calf, imported French bronze, satin boots, ooze boots—with satin or ooze topping—and other late styles that appeal to discriminating women.



\$4.15

Of Black Suede Calf—formerly \$5.00.



\$4.15

Of Lustral Calf—formerly \$6.00.

**Gude's**  
Good Footwear  
—STORES—  
353 SO. SPRING ST.  
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**Women's Department**  
**Special Sale**  
**Suits & Coats**  
Values to \$12.50  
Values to \$24.75  
Values to \$32.50  
Values to \$47.50

**Men's Department**  
**Special Sale of**  
**Stein-Bloch Suits**  
\$25.00 \$18.50  
\$30.00 \$23.50  
\$40.00 \$28.50

**Boys' Department**  
**Boys' and Youths' Suits & Overcoats**  
Suits, Russian Blouses  
Suits, Youths' Long Pant Suits,  
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437-439 441-443 SOUTH SPRING

**70 PAIRS**  
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**85c The Pair**  
Real \$1.25 Values

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**Staub's**  
Big Price Cuts on Men's Patents  
All Broken Lines Must Go.  
\$4 and \$5.00 Shoes, now \$2.95  
\$5.00 Quality Shoes, now \$3.85  
\$6.00 Quality Shoes, now \$4.45  
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Four dollars, now, for any street hat formerly priced ten to fifteen dollars.  
Closing out all  
**Automobile baskets at half**  
This offering makes it possible for the auto-  
ist of very modest means to own a fitted  
lunch basket.  
Take your pick of our entire line at just  
half the prices their duplicates have brought.  
\$ 9.50 Baskets \$4.25 \$25 Baskets \$12.50  
\$12.50 Baskets \$6.25 \$50 Baskets \$25.00  
\$15.00 Baskets \$7.50 \$75 Baskets \$37.50  
\$150 Baskets \$75  
Fitted for two, four and six people.  
(Facing Main Entrance.)  
**\$12.50 robe patterns \$3.50**  
\$3.50 is our quick-clearance price on a lot  
of \$12.50 robe patterns of white linen,  
tastefully trimmed with bands, buttons and  
hemstitching.  
And a lot of \$25 to \$40 Lingerie robe  
patterns of black, lavender and pink batiste  
with colored embroidery trimming, at \$15.  
(Main Floor, Left Aisle.)  
**New foulard silks**  
Cheney Bros' shower-proof Foulards  
—the choicest produced in America—here in  
many new designs at 85c and \$1.25 a yard;  
23½ inches wide.  
And the real French Foulards, 44 inches  
wide, at \$2.00 a yard.  
**Cutlery clearance**  
Henkel cutlery is the standard of excellence  
the world over—there's no better make, at  
any price.  
We are closing out all of our Henkel  
scissors sets and manicure sets at this rate.  
\$5.00 Scissors Sets...\$3.35 \$5.50 Manicure Sets \$3.65  
\$6.00 Scissors Sets...\$4.00 \$7.50 Manicure Sets \$5.00  
\$7.50 Scissors Sets...\$5.00 \$15.00 Manicure Sets \$10.00  
\$8.50 Scissors Sets...\$5.65 \$25.00 Manicure Sets \$16.65  
(Right of Main Entrance.)  
**New dress stuffs**  
Panama and serge weaves—always im-  
mensely popular—are to be in stronger de-  
mand than ever, this spring.  
We are ready with every right weave and coloring.  
Among last week's arrivals are plain, melange and novelty  
weaves—blues, green, grays and tans predominating—at \$1.25  
to \$2.25 a yard; 44 to 56 inches wide.  
Self-striped serges in navy and black, 54 to 56-inch widths,  
at \$1.50 to \$2.00 yard.  
Plain panamas and serges at \$1 to \$2.50 a yard.  
All the above in the light, hard-twist weave—non-crushable  
and dust shedding.  
Mohairs, too, are to be immensely popular for spring wear,  
and there is no fabric better suited to the demands of this climate.  
Plain weaves, stripes and fancy mixtures, 50c to \$3 a yard.  
New French and English suitings in the correct gray and  
tan mixtures at \$1.25 to \$4 a yard. 54 to 58 inches wide.

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**VIYELLA Unshrinkable Flannels, Here in Every Good Pattern, 75c Yard**  
**Last Call on Furs**  
In all probability there will be plenty of use for furs for some time to come. And even  
if this were not so, these are such fine and dependable sorts that people will do as they  
always have done, and buy now for next winter.  
MINK COLLARETTE—Five heads in back; six tab ends in front;  
beautifully brocade lined; specially priced at \$80  
MINK SCARF—56-inch length;  
lined with brown satin; special \$32  
MINK COLLAR—Fancy style; 2 heads and two tab ends;  
a beautiful piece specially priced at \$22.50  
BLACK LYNX—Short Collarette;  
brocade lined; special \$37.50  
BLACK FOX COLLARETTE—Head and tail across back;  
long tab ends; exceptional value at, special \$35  
BLACK FOX RUG MUFF—Shirred black  
satin lining; special \$20  
BLACK HARE MUFFS—Pillow and rug shapes;  
specially priced at \$3 to \$6  
SPECIAL PRICES also on ermine and other of the finest furs.  
**Beautiful Mercerized Foulards 50c**  
Entirely unnecessary to pay almost, or  
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may be had for fifty cents.  
Every piece is an exact copy of the all-  
silk foulard which promises such popu-  
larity this spring and summer; you may  
select from white, light blue, navy,  
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or white figures. Perfectly mercerized,  
they're all the beauty of  
foulards, and are only 50c  
On sale at the Wash Goods Section.  
**Ostermoor Mattresses at \$18.50, Special**  
The regular yearly sale that the factory  
makes every February. You can share  
the saving only by buying of us, be-  
cause we are sole Los Angeles agents for  
the Ostermoor Mattress.  
Full sixty-pound mattresses, in one or  
two parts, covered with fine French art  
ticking, in various pretty colors, every  
mattress warranted not to mat nor pack,  
and guaranteed for a life-time; on special  
sale now \$18.50  
for only \$18.50  
**Pongee Silks for Spring & Summer**  
No longer any question about it—pongees will be THE plain silk this season; and we are  
showing a large assortment of all the fancy and staple pongees of every good weave  
and shade, including wide varieties of natural color.  
**DOMESTIC PONGEES**  
27-Inch; natural, at 75c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00  
36-Inch; natural, at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.75 and \$2.50  
**WHITE DOMESTIC PONGEES**  
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co-operation of manufacturers who make  
only the best garments, and who gave us the  
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**VIYELLA Unshrinkable Flannels, Here in Every Good Pattern, 75c Yard**  
**Last Call on Furs**  
In all probability there will be plenty of use for furs for some time to come. And even  
if this were not so, these are such fine and dependable sorts that people will do as they  
always have done, and buy now for next winter.  
MINK COLLARETTE—Five heads in back; six tab ends in front;  
beautifully brocade lined; specially priced at \$80  
MINK SCARF—56-inch length;  
lined with brown satin; special \$32  
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a beautiful piece specially priced at \$22.50  
BLACK LYNX—Short Collarette;  
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SPECIAL PRICES also on ermine and other of the finest furs.  
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Every piece is an exact copy of the all-  
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**Ostermoor Mattresses at \$18.50, Special**  
The regular yearly sale that the factory  
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Full sixty-pound mattresses, in one or  
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ticking, in various pretty colors, every  
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**Pongee Silks for Spring & Summer**  
No longer any question about it—pongees will be THE plain silk this season; and we are  
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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

**THE** Misses Marie and Beatrice Gavanagh of No. 1903 Oxford street will entertain with a tea party Wednesday for Miss Sara Sheerin of Indianapolis, Ind., who is their house guest. Music will be furnished by Arent's Orchestra, and about 200 guests will be present.

**Home Wedding.**  
Miss Clara Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carpenter of West Twenty-seventh street will be married Wednesday to S. Fritz Nave of Colorado. The wedding will be solemnized at the family home.

**Bridge Luncheon.**  
Mrs. E. H. Barnore of No. 1313 Alvarado terrace gave a buffet bridge luncheon in honor of Mrs. W. P. Dunham, who will leave soon to join her husband in Ray, Ariz. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. J. T. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Frederick Goulding, Mrs. C. A. Stanton, Mrs. David S. Barnore and Mrs. E. W. Britt. The table was decorated with a basket of violets and maidenhair ferns. White marble tables were adorned with violets and lilies of the valley. Each guest received a

After February 1, Mr. and Mrs. Potter will be at home to friends at No. 648 Sichel street.

**Musical and Reception.**  
A musical reception was given yesterday by Mrs. Charles H. Earle of No. 949 Grauman street. The afternoon was planned as a courtesy to Miss Frances Close Potts. About fifty guests were present. The programme was presented by Miss Eleanor Loyd, Miss Frieda Poycke, Miss Pauline Lloyd, Miss Basman, Eric Bachus of Pasadena, and Mrs. Potts. Mr. and Mrs. Potts will leave soon with Dr. J. Q. A. Henry on a tour of the world. The party will sail from San Francisco February 1.

**Betrothal Party.**  
At a party given last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Loomis, announcement was made of the betrothal of their daughter, Miss Blanche, to Harry B. Tuttle. Miss Loomis is a clever musician. The wedding will be solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loomis in June.

**Auto Ride and Luncheon.**  
Mrs. Horace V. Tanner, who will leave Wednesday for Porterville, where she will make her future home, was the honored guest recently at a luncheon and auto ride, given by Mrs. T. H. Pary of Wilmington.

**Surprise for Dancers.**  
Mrs. Earn Stimson of West Adams street called a special rehearsal last evening for young people who will assist her in the Spanish dance at the Kirmess. Following the drill, Mrs. Stimson surprised her young people with a dainty collation. Later, dancing was indulged in. The young helpers include Mrs. J. A. Van Karp, Mrs. Carrie Law, Miss Marie Burham, Miss Olive Britt, Miss Marie Stockard, Miss Lottia Corella, Miss Barbara Burkhalter, Miss Florence Clark, Miss Clara Nourse, Miss May Ridgway, Miss Mary Lindley, Miss Clarisse Stevens, Joseph Harsh, George Reed, Charles Henderson, Joseph Coffman, Raymond Moore, W. R. Miller, Joseph Mack, Flo Lindley, Harold James, Walter Kaye, Lovell Wright, George Mosbacher and Mr. Higgins.

**SPAN OF CHANGES.**  
**WAS PIONEER OF THREE STATES.**  
**RELATIVE OF LATE PRESIDENT POLK DIES HERE.**

Fought Indians in Kentucky, Saw Chicago When Village and Mined for Gold in Early Days of California—Leaves Children, Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren.

Henry H. Polk, 92 years of age, a relative of the late President Polk, died at his home, No. 441 Solano avenue, early yesterday morning. Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock today at the Stuch undertaking parlors, and interment will be at Santa Ana. Polk was born near Louisville, Ky. At that time, his father was known as Buliet county. It has since been changed to Jefferson county. Until the age of 16 years he lived on his father's little farm, in a veritable wilderness of woods, where brushwood and the savages were ever at hand, and no one dared go far from the house. They even carried rifles along across their backs, and in the early morning hours, in 1823 his father moved to Chicago. The little family made the long jour-

ney by stage, arriving at a small farm near Chicago, where he remained for some time. At that time, according to the stories told by the old man in his later years, the day of his boyhood, Chicago was only a village. There was only one hotel there, and that could hardly have been dignified by that name. It was a sort of shack-like building. The proprietor was a white man and his wife an Indian squaw. Polk married in 1840. Ten years later, with a few companions, he crossed the plains to the gold fields, reaching Potosi, then more appropriately called "Hang Town." He witnessed the first execution ever held there. Later, he went to Trinity, where, with his partners, he struck it rich in gold. They returned by steamer from San Francisco to New York and thence to Chicago by way of the lake.

He remained on his farm near Chicago until 1857. He had watched the city grow from a village to a metropolis. In 1857 he came to Los Angeles. The city at that time was an overgrown village, with one railroad station, hardly larger than a hamlet. Polk lived at Santa Ana, Santa Barbara, and finally settled on Solano avenue, where he lived for more than fifteen years. His wife died five years ago.

He leaves five children, fourteen grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. The children are Harrison Polk, Mrs. Ella E. Henry and Mrs. Cora F. Hetherington of Los Angeles, Mrs. Margaret McClintock of Santa Ana and Mrs. Clara M. Craighead of Farnhamville, Iowa.

Particular housewives always use

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POSTOFFICE ROBBERY.

(Continued From First Page.)

at the Garfield school, more than a mile away. This building is in course of construction. They broke open the shed and secured a bit brace and chisel. Carrying these implements with them they went to a blacksmith shop a short distance from the postoffice. There they stole a monkey wrench and a sledge hammer.

Entrance was gained through the rear door of the postoffice. Working in the dark alley they were comparatively safe, and took their time. They bored three holes to the left of the lock and reaching in, they shot back the bolt and entered.

It is believed the outer door of the safe was left open or the robbers managed to work the combination. The door was intact except for a broken hinge caused by the explosion. The sledge hammer had not been used. They evidently tried to break in by knocking out the combination and blow open the door, but this was unnecessary. Instead they set their fuse in the burglar's trap.

After all these plans had been made the burglars waited for Marshal Parker to retire. The Marshal goes to bed in the City Hall in the early morning hours. From the little alley back of the postoffice they saw him drive up, carrying his automobile and enter the building. That was at 1:30 o'clock. Just five minutes later they touched off the fuse.

The explosion could be heard for miles. The big plate glass in the front of the building was shattered. Frank Litchner, who has rooms above the bakery, jumped out of bed, partly clothed, ran downstairs, thinking the bakery boilers had blown up. He stepped into the street and saw the dark figures moving about in the postoffice.

**THE FIRST SHOTS.**  
Darting back into the house he grabbed his revolver and ran to the doorway. He fired three shots, all of which were in the window opposite.

His wife, meanwhile, leaned from the upper window and screamed for help. The burglars evidently thought that the firing came from the upper window for their return fire went in that direction. The bullet entered a heavy telephone cable shattering it. This infuriated the robbers back into the postoffice, giving the alarm. In the meantime the Marshal darted for the building, keeping well in the shade. He heard the door being shut as he reached the front and ran around to the back to head them off. They had taken the other end of the alley and had a good start. Citizens joined in the chase, the robbers blaring back from the darkness until their guns were empty, and then considering darkness their best shield, they sprinted north on Garfield avenue and separated, making good their escape.

Postoffice Inspector Wilson conducted a secret investigation yesterday morning. He was accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Matthews and Wright. A careful watch is being kept in near-by towns for suspicious characters.

Canceled

\$84,000 Life Insurance In Order to Fly

THE operator of an Airship requires considerable skill. He must feel just right. Ease of movement and flexibility are essential to the highest degree of efficiency. This may be one of the reasons why Col. Frank H. Johnson of San Francisco bought a WOOD BROTHERS' SUIT soon after arriving here to take part in the aerial flights.

Because of Mr. Johnson's absolute confidence in the safety and practicability of aerial navigation, together with his desire to demonstrate that fact, he is reported to have allowed \$84,000 life insurance to be canceled. We predict that the time will come when Insurance Companies will not cancel insurance policies on this account.

Mr. Johnson was not the only visiting aviator who was fitted and pleased with our clothes. We had the pleasure of selling other distinguished aeronauts, and can safely say that "the pleasure was not all ours." Each one who wore away one of our suits was satisfied. He will continue to get genuine satisfaction and comfort out of them as long as he wears them.

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Victor III \$46 With Oak Horn \$46

Victor III, with the Oak Horn is one of the most popular styles of the line. The cabinet is made of quartered oak, with all metal parts nickel plated. The turn-table is the ten-inch size, playing all size records. The motor plays five 10-inch records with one winding and can be wound while playing. If you want a good machine, at a popular price, on easy payments, see and hear this Victor III.

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Our plan of selling talking machines is the most favorable offered. Everybody can afford to have one of these delightful home entertainers. Choose ten selections, pay \$1.75 cash. We'll send the records and a Victor to your home. Then pay a dollar a week. Editions may be purchased on the same basis, but with an initial payment of only \$2.00 for six records. Victrolas, \$10 to \$250. Editions, \$12.50 to \$50.

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Wednesday Morning Club

Highland Park Ebell

FACTS, FEATURES AND FANCIES FOR WOMEN

MISS SYDNEY FORD.

quickly and polished with a chambray cloth. Coffee stains, even when the has been mixed with cream or may be removed, one housewife by rubbing the spots with pure fine. Rinse afterward in lukewarm water and press on the wrong side. Rub with a warm iron. Either or wool may be so treated after of warm water.

To whiten handkerchiefs, say the old shaving brush. It is in dusting creases, and is also used for use while washing pieces. It is of putting soap in the water. It is of putting soap in the water. It is of putting soap in the water.

The way an old Charleston holds rice is to wash it until the water is clear and then to soak it in the solution all night. day wash and boil them in the water and they will be wonderfully improved in appearance.

Corsets and Costs. Corsets are long close, and they are pulled from the usual way by stocking support at the front and sides, and often from the back.

Chiffon, gauze velvet and ribbon now all found with moire surface, sometimes lace carries the ripple water mark effect, and being heavily used by dressmakers.

The black satin stock is the latest. It is a very fine, but to be extra smart it must have a narrow white at the top, cuffs matching the stock also have frills.

Not of all kinds, from tails to fish net, is simply the rage of the season, and must be made up. It is a princess of this being a new and very popular style.

Pleated and fancy taffetas are in demand for waists and petticoats and further going into the details of the different costumes that are among fashions of the hour.

A growing fad is for running a seam across the back from the shoulders under the arms to the hem of the knees. It is a marked seam and is in fashion, with the vest of the outside.

Cost fabrics most popular are moire velvet, seal plush and broadcloth. These are the most popular, and are shaped, and extending to the waist with fur cuffs, are on some of the most excellent creations.

No matter how full may be skirts or draperies that are coming they must fall limp and straight. The program of the Ebell Club yesterday afternoon, with a luncheon at the club, was a very successful one.

Current Events. Mrs. Lou V. Chapin occupied the program of the Ebell Club yesterday afternoon, with a luncheon at the club, was a very successful one.

To Rome. The art and travel section of the Ebell Club will meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. F. S. Langdon after the luncheon at the club, was a very successful one.

Business Women to Meet. The California Business Women's Association will meet this evening at the senior club room of the Y.W.C.A. building. Mrs. Johanna von Wagner will address the meeting on "The Housing Commission."

Matinee Musical Club. The annual gentlemen's night of the Matinee Musical Club will be held Thursday evening at the club, was a very successful one.

Gervais Chapter. A violin luncheon was the charming function given by Dorothy Matron Mabel T. Judson in honor of the officers of Gervais Chapter, O.E.S., at her pretty home, No. 112 Thorne street. Hand-painted plaster carried the theme of the occasion. The newly elected officers are Beatrice M. Loy, Mrs. Marshall, Rebecca Jewell, Beatrice Russell, Eleanor Jensen, Emilie Frost, Ruth Saffern and Virginia Sargent.



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**WORK IS HARD.**

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**dermined by Detectives.**

**Shocking Story to Get**  
**Pity and Rest.**

**Plot of Assault by a**  
**Young Man a Bluff.**

**Accident Supposed to Have**  
**Involved the Person of M.**

**Twenty-sixth Street,**  
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**at Work on the Case**  
**which is the evening until**

**before 12 o'clock last night a**  
**man was found bound and tied**

**to the back of the Arcade**  
**near the Merchants' ice and**

**house. Detectives rushed**  
**to the spot, with the aid of a**

**man who had been called**  
**by the youth and listened**

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**spect to him, a desperate crim-**  
**inal, and asked him to**

**come to the scene. The desperate**  
**man, suddenly flushed a gun**

**and held out a bottle of**  
**poison, and threatened him**

**with it. He then commanded him**  
**to go to the scene of the**

**crime. After taking a**  
**few steps, he suddenly**

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**M. H. Johnson,**  
**who confessed to the police last night**  
**that he is a champion liar.**

not more than 120 pounds could over-

power such a giant as he described.

Unpleasant questions were asked, and

the listeners became somewhat in-

credulous. After a session of more

than half an hour, Johnson broke

down and admitted that he had lied.

"I don't like to work very much,"

confessed the youth, and then he ad-

ded, "You see, if I am supposed to

be drugged and bound, and all that

sort of thing, people will pity me, and

let me draw pay while I rest."

**HIS CONFESSION.**

Johnson at once began the composi-

tion of a work, entitled "A Full and

Complete Confession." He labored un-

til after 11 o'clock, and then signed

his manuscript in the presence of

detectives Louis Rico, McNamara, and

Carroll.

The confession begins with a general

statement of how much of a liar M.

H. Johnson really is, and follows with

a statement that he tied and bound

himself. While the detectives were

discussing the matter with his step-

father, A. C. Gardner, they inadver-

tently mentioned the name of John

Sipsy, so that the newspaper men

heard it. The stepfather at once be-

came greatly excited and assured the

detectives that if the desperate Mr.

Sipsy ever heard that the boy had

that the story about the deserter

Sipsy, might be within the realms of

truth. They immediately began an ex-

amination of the stepfather's state-

ments.

Mr. Gardner told the officers that

if his step-son really had been

drugged, he was also robbed of 60

cents, which he took with him when

he left home. However, the alleged

victim of this brutality at first as-

serted that he was ill-used because he

"knew too much." Detective McNa-

maria says that the boy is laboring

under a misapprehension, as it is not

because he "knew too much," but

because he knows too little, that he is

in difficulties.

**OTHER BLUFFS.**

December 25, M. H. Johnson reported

that he was run over by an auto-

mobile, and received injuries to his

right foot. He hobbled around for

several days and escaped work by

what he now admits was a bluff.

Last November he appeared at the

St. Mary's Hospital, and complained that

he had fallen and shattered his arm.

After a careful examination it was

decided that the bones did appear to

be cracked, and the arm was put in

splints. Johnson once more escaped

work. He now admits that his

cracked arm was a bluff.

His stepfather indignantly admits

that the young man does occasionally

break "home" with a "stretch," when

he wishes to go out of work.

Johnson is a painter by trade, but

work with the brush falls far short

of his ability as a romancer. He is a

married man, and has always ex-

plained things to his wife in a satis-

factory manner.

**STREET CARS IN CHINA.**

Natives are learning to enjoy them.

Difficult Problems Met on the

Fare Question.

**IMPORTANT MOVE.**  
**WILL OBSERVE**  
**FAIR DEALING.**

**Automobile Dealers Decide**  
**Against Dissolution.**

**Association May Be Stronger**  
**Than Ever Before.**

**Important Meeting Held at**  
**Hamlin's Show Rooms.**

At a special meeting of the Auto-

mobile Dealers' Association of South-

ern California held last night, the

show rooms of R. C. Hamlin on Olive

street the question of dissolution, was

reconsidered. By a vote of twenty-

two to two the members decided to

remain together as a trade organiza-

tion.

Numbers of the prominent automo-

bile dealers of this city were present.

There was a spirited argument and the

question of ways and means of con-

tinuing trade conditions, which are

now on the top wave, was discussed.

Several spoke in favor of unity and

when the subject of reconsidering a

former vote to dissolve was taken up

it was rushed through with a splendid

affirmative vote.

For weeks the question of the form-

ing of a new organization has been

uppermost in the minds of many. The

action of last night means that the

name of the Automobile Dealers' As-

sociation of Southern California is not

to be dropped. This association has

meant much for the automobile indus-

try of Southern California and for the

trade in this city.

Motor men all over this country have

been watching the progress of events

in Los Angeles. There are more deal-

ers in this city than in any other city

of its size in America. This is the

busy season and the action last night

gives those dealers interested a chance

to make plans for coming events.

In a strong set of resolutions pre-

sented to the meeting the history of

the association was reviewed and the

resolution continued as follows:

any particular automobile we believe

is unfair and un-American; those things

which help, lend assistance to us all;

those things which are the detriment

of one are an injury to all."

**NO MUD SLINGING.**

There was no mud slinging by any-

body. Several who at one time had

been most in favor of disorganization

now the matter is a clearer light, and

for the good of the general body of

dealers determined to lend their aid

in the movement to keep intact the

Automobile Dealers' Association of

Southern California.

This association has done much to

help the dealers who have been iden-

tified with it for the past five years.

Automobile race meets, hill climbs and

other contests have been promoted

successfully, and the body has always

finished each year with a good sur-

plus in the treasury.

An automobile show is to be held,

and a hill climbing contest is soon to

be pulled off. There is the Santa Mon-

ica road race which also must be run.

These things demand the time and at-

tention of prominent men among the

local dealers.

The spirit of the meeting was such

that it is certain to mean much for

the organization in general. The body

will be stronger than ever, it is be-

lieved.

**TRADE BOOST.**

Irresponsible dealers are to have

no place in the association. The body

is to be run on a sound basis, and it

will mean much in the future to be

identified with the Automobile Dealers'

Association of Southern California.

Plans are being formulated whereby

only the most solid men of the trade

are to be allowed to share in the ben-

efits.

Among the members are those who

have been with the association since

it was formed. These form the back-

**STACKS OF MONEY.**

**(Continued From First Page.)**

had been cheated by a ticket seller

who gave her a rough receipt for a

grand stand ticket. Behymer suggest-

ed a mistake had occurred, and that

possibly the real ticket had been mis-

placed by the purchaser. He opened

the worn handbag of the complainant

and, digging down in the mixture of

face powder, cold cream and hairpins,

found the pink stand ticket neatly

concealed.

Another incident disclosed the effi-

ciency of the system of checking and

marking. A man went to Behymer and

declared he had been overcharged \$1

on a grand stand seat. He held in his

hand about a quarter of the original

ticket, on which was printed the nu-

merals, 13,185. Behymer took the pur-

chaser's name and address. That night

the cash receipts of the ticket seller

wrote a check for that amount to the

man who entered the complaint.

Frequently persons holding box se-

son tickets have made matters ex-

ceedingly difficult for the ticket sell-

ers by mixing dates. Mrs. Smith is

given an invitation to attend the meet-

ing on the 13th, and Mrs. Jones is asked

to occupy the box on the 13th. The host-

ess gets her dates mixed, and also asks

Mrs. Brown to attend the meet on the

13th also. There is a worse mix-up at

the entrance to that particular box

on the afternoon of the 13th, when two

parties holding invitations seek seats

in the single box. Both parties are

entitled to seats, and the hostess is

never in sight.

Besides the regular admission tick-

ets 5000 for employees have been han-

ded out, and 4000 green tickets were

issued. This last item means tremen-

dous publicity to Los Angeles. From

the four corners of the globe news-

paper men representing all sorts of

**How Much**  
**Must**  
**I Spend?**

Last spring a man spent a total of \$16,000 advertising a new fabric. In ninety days he had secured 700 new accounts, sold 1,250,000 yards more than he had expected, at an average net advance of 3c. per yard.

And, during the same year, another advertiser in a kindred line, who has been in our columns continually for nineteen years, spent \$30,000 in our publications.







# Things Happening South of the Tehachapi.

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

## PLANS FOR ELKS HOME.

**Santa Ana to Have Clubhouse—Bridge Builders Are Robbed—Preparation for Elections.**

SANTA ANA, Jan. 17.—Santa Ana Lodge, No. 794, E.P.O. Elks, has received plans and specifications for a \$25,000 clubhouse, to be built this spring on property on Sycamore street. The building will be three-story, of artificial stone and cream-colored brick, and 60x110 feet. The banquet hall will measure 24x45, and the lodge room 24x27, exclusive of the stage. The clubhouse will contain eleven bedrooms for members.

A camp of Santa Fe bridge builders at Richfield was robbed last night. Three checks and \$15 in money were stolen. The checks were for work done for the Santa Fe. Two were to Joe Tackett, one for \$25.50, and the other for \$1. The third was to Albert Miller, for \$2.

This spring three school districts in the county will hold elections to vote bonds for new schoolhouses. Rancho district will vote on a \$200,000 issue on the 22nd, and Harper and Huntington Beach are preparing for elections to be held soon.

Of the incorporated cities of the county, except Santa Ana, will hold city elections in April. That the city of the county may register early, County Clerk Williams has appointed registration clerks as follows: Anaheim, E. R. Merritt and Joseph Helms; Fullerton, G. W. Finch, G. A. Haddock and P. A. Schumacher; Orange, J. P. Small and A. C. Newell; Newport Beach, Albert Hermes; Huntington Beach, E. R. Bradbury.

Marriage license: Gerald Dockery, 21, and Gertrude Graybill, 23, both of Los Angeles; Mortimer S. Peckles, 25, of Lincoln Neb., and Dorothy Scott, 21, of Pasadena; Lawrence G. Doty, 20, of Los Angeles, and Ethel N. Fuller, 20, of Tustin; Robert L. Cohn, 21, and Hilda Mitchell, 16, both of Los Angeles.

Fly high at "Hotel del Coronado."

## COLTON.

**ESPEE CARS BROKEN INTO.**

**TWENTY CASES OF MONEY ARE STOLEN AT COLTON.**

**Man Who Is Found Peddling Sweet Stuff at One-Quarter of a Cent Per Pound Is Arrested on Suspicion. Former Railroad Employee Takes His Own Life.**

COLTON, Jan. 17.—F. McNoven was arrested today on suspicion of having stolen goods in his possession. He was selling honey at 1/4 cent a pound. Upon investigation it was found that a Southern Pacific car had been broken into and twenty cases of honey stolen. The police say that McNoven will have to tell where he got his honey.

Another Southern Pacific freight car was broken into just west of here and a number of suits of clothing stolen. The goods were in transit from Los Angeles to an Imperial merchant.

For some time past this city has been endeavoring to get the Santa Fe Railroad Company to place gates at dangerous crossings. Through a document which has just been found this city will have to provide its own gates and watchmen if it wishes to have the crossings safeguarded. The document is an agreement entered into by this city and the Santa Fe Railroad many years ago when Colton was first laid out and when the old Santa Fe depot stood in the middle of the street. It cites the above conditions.

**COMMITTEE SUICIDE.**

William Raines committed suicide last night about 8:30 o'clock by shooting himself through the head, the bullet entering the left temple and coming out the right. Raines was under arrest for assault upon C. D. Galt, Southern Pacific yardmaster and was to have had his preliminary hearing tomorrow. He felt his disgrace keenly and told his friends he would never have committed such an act had he not been drinking. Raines spent the day apparently happily with his family and started to church in the evening, whistling.

After church instead of going home he went up Eighth to F street, sat down on the curb just east of the Episcopal Church and shot himself. The officers were notified and Raines was taken to his home, where he died at midnight. Corner Van Winkle on Inquest upon the remains this morning. The verdict of the jury was that the deceased came to his death by gun shot wounds inflicted by himself.

**BRUTAL ATTACK.**

H. A. Bolten and M. Armstrong, who gave their addresses as Covina and Santa Ana, and said they were serving machine guns, were arrested this morning as suspicious characters. The men went into the Anderson bar and one set up drinks for the crowd. Charles Bradley, a local man, went out the rear entrance and one of the strangers followed and demanded \$5. Bradley refused, and the other man grabbed Bradley's right thumb between his teeth, then knocked him down and kicked him about the head and body. Russell King rushed to Bradley's assistance and was hit on the face. Roy Buxter, assistant manager of the Anderson, captured one of the men and held him until the arrival of Marshall Adkins. The pair will be arraigned before Justice Hanna this afternoon.

Henri Bulena, assistant chemist at the cement works, had two fingers of his right hand caught in the machinery and badly lacerated.

Miss Adeline Compton and Dr. Wallace H. McHargue were married yesterday afternoon at the Presbyterian Church. Rev. E. L. R. McClellan performed the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Compton, and the groom is a dentist of this city.

"Times" Cook Book, No. 3, latest edition. Largest, most elaborate and comprehensive cook book of the series issued by The Times. The 318 recipes for hot Spanish and Mexican dishes and the hygiene department are big features of the publication. The recipes brought out by The Times' prize cooking contest are generally from Southern California housewives and noted chefs. Price 25 cents; by mail 5 cents additional. Address The Times, Los Angeles.

Great aviators, visit Coronado now.

L. L. Hunter, a railroad engineer, and his 6-year-old son Paul were burned to death Saturday night at Sheridan, Wyo., when fire destroyed the house car in which they were living. Mrs. Hunter and daughter, the two other members of the family, were also frightfully burned, although rescued by fireman Fred Ulrich.

## SAN DIEGO.

**DEMURRERS ARE NOT SUSTAINED.**

**TWO ARE OVERRULED IN CASE OF ACCUSED DETECTIVE.**

**Officer Charged With Accepting Bribes From Woman of the Underworld Must Stand Trial Next Week. Alleged Forger of Dead's Writs to Plead Guilty—Church Activities.**

LET DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Judge Lewis of the Superior Court today overruled demurrers to two indictments against former Detective M. M. Smith on a charge of accepting bribes. The court then set the 27th inst. as the date for trial. Dist. Atty. U'ity announced that the first case to be taken up would be on the second indictment, which accuses Smith of accepting a bribe of \$15 on the night of Tuesday, January 4. This case, the District Attorney says, is based on the allegation that Blanch Williams gave the deposed officer marked bills in payment for protection. Other police officers, who were stationed in the building where the transaction is declared to have taken place, are to be called to testify that they were witnesses, through perches in the wall of the room.

**PLEADS FOR MERCY.**

Remorse has overtaken Louis Schiaffino, the Italian arrested in Los Angeles and brought here on a charge of wholesale fraud in forging deeds to land. He now begs for mercy. According to the District Attorney, Schiaffino wants to plead guilty. He has already entered a plea of not guilty and hired a local attorney to fight the case. Schiaffino now says he believes he can get out of his trouble more quickly by pleading guilty than by standing trial and running the chances of a long sentence. It is the belief of the county officials that Schiaffino made Mrs. Laura Bryant, John Hawley and Harry Hancock, who were arrested in connection with his alleged swindling operations, his dupes. The woman is already at liberty and she will not be prosecuted. It is said to be a settled program that if Schiaffino pleads guilty the other men will be released on probation. Schiaffino's offer to plead guilty is now under consideration by his counsel.

**EXTENDS CHURCH WORK.**

While here yesterday Bishop Conaty of the Roman Catholic church authorized the establishment of a school in the parish of the Church of Our Lady of Angels, in the eastern section of the city; the building of a new church at National City and sanctioned a movement to establish a church in the University Heights section.

**RELIEF EXPEDITION.**

The relief expedition being fitted out here for a trip to explore the coasts of the Gulf of California in search of a missing English lord and his companion, will leave at noon Thursday. Capt. John Swanson, who has accompanied several expeditions to the Cocos Islands on treasure hunts, will be in command of the power boat Ruth. It is said that a quantity of mail and telegrams is at Yuma awaiting Lord Beaulieu and his companion, Warburton Pike. The large amount of inquiries and mail matter forwarded to Yuma caused the residents of that city to arrange to search for the missing men. San Diego was selected as the nearest point for outfitting such a party because of its nearness to the Lower California coast. Gondolfo, Chilton and Swanson expect to make the trip to Guaymas inside of ten days.

Aviators now try "Hotel del Coronado."

**NEWPORT BEACH.**

NEWPORT BEACH, Jan. 17.—The Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of communications from Senator Flint and Congressman Smith stating that they will bring the matter of a re-survey of Newport harbor up before the Rivers and Harbors Committee at this session of Congress.

The La Habra Land and Water Company has offered to donate most of its frontage in the event of the city improving the harbor.

**ELSINORE.**

ELSINORE, Jan. 17.—Light rains with cloudy weather, were followed this morning by clear skies and a light frost.

A daughter was born yesterday to the wife of Charles Graham of Main street.

Dorothy Rowell, 11 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Rowell of Denver, died here Sunday morning, after an illness of two years.

Among arrivals at the Lakeview Inn are: Mr. and Mrs. E. Darlington, Redlands; S. L. and Mrs. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Woods and son, Los Angeles; E. A. Magle, George W. Mure, Chicago; Mrs. S. F. Manson and daughter S. F. Manson, San Gabriel; Mrs. A. J. Rowell, Denver.

Among arrivals at the Bundy Hot Springs Hotel are: George Glunn, Los Angeles; H. Wild, R. C. Cameron and wife and two daughters, White Salmon, Wash.; C. G. George and wife, E. S. Norton and wife, Pomona.

Fly, fly to "Hotel del Coronado."

**GRANITE CUTTERS ON STRIKE.**

BARRE (Vt.) Jan. 17.—The lockout which has practically paralyzed the granite industry of the State since November 18, was changed to a strike today, and the responsibility thrown upon the 2000 cutters who are out. This move was brought about by the action of the manufacturers in Barre, East Barre, Northfield, Montpelier, Williamstown and Waterbury, in opening their quarries for the men to return if they chose under the new conditions. In only one shop did the cutters remain at work, and in this instance the Little Granite Company of Barre acceded to the demands for an increase in wages.

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WEATHER.

TEMPERATURES.

Place	Max	Min
Los Angeles	64	44
San Francisco	54	34
San Diego	64	44
Albany	44	24
Boston	34	14
Chicago	24	4
St. Louis	34	14
Memphis	44	24
New Orleans	54	34
Havana	74	54
Manila	84	64
London	44	34
Paris	44	34
Berlin	34	24
Rome	44	34
Madrid	54	44
Barcelona	54	44
Valencia	54	44
Seville	54	44
Granada	54	44
Malaga	54	44
Cadix	54	44
Alcala	54	44
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New York Bond Market.

Table with bond prices and yields.

New York Metal Market.

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California Dried Fruit.

Table with dried fruit prices.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

Table with live stock prices.

Chicago Dairy Market.

Table with dairy prices.

New York Dairy Market.

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ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17.—

Table with local market prices.

Portland Wheat Market.

Table with wheat prices.

Elgin Butter Market.

Table with butter prices.

San Francisco Markets.

Table with market prices.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Table with fruit and produce prices.

Grain Statistics.

Table with grain statistics.

New York Cotton Market.

Table with cotton prices.

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